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SUBJECT: MURDER OF THE SON OF MEXICAN AMBASSADOR TO THE
US.

REF: MEXICO 14336

1. THE BODY OF HUGO MARGAIN JR., THE SON OF MEXICO'S
AMBASSADOR TO THE US HUGO MARGAIN, WAS FOUND LATE AUG 30
NEAR THE TOWN OF CHALCO, A TOWN NEAR MEXICO CITY.
MARGAIN APPARENTLY BLEED TO DEATH FROM A GUNSHOT WOUND IN
HIS THIGH.

2. MARGAIN HAD BEEN KIDNAPPED ON THE EVENING OF AUG 29,
REPORTEDLY BY MEMBERS OF THE 23 OF SEPTEMBER TERRORIST
ORGANIZATION. HE HAD BEEN DIRECTOR OF PHILOSOPHICAL
STUDIES AT THE NATIONAL AUTONOMOUS UNIVERSITY OF MEXICO.

3. AN ASSOCIATE OF MARGAIN, MICHAEL JUSTIN EVANS, WAS
WOUNDED IN THE KIDNAPPING BUT HAS BEEN RELEASED FROM THE
HOSPITAL. EARLIER REPORTS INDICATED EVANS AS A US CITIZEN,
BUT WE HAVE NOW CONFIRMED THAT HE IS BRITISH NATIONAL.

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4. I PLAN TO ISSUE A STATEMENT REGARDING THE MURDER OF
MARGAIN TODAY, GIVING BOTH MY PERSONAL REGRETS ABOUT THE
INCIDENT AS WELL AS CONVEYING THE SYMPATHY
OF MY GOVERNMENT. LUCEY

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